The 18th-annual **Art Spectacular at the Carillon** is held outdoors on the lawn of beautiful Washington Park in Springfield, IL, an art-loving, art-buying community! Features up to 60 professional artists with original and limited edition artwork in a variety of mediums – as well patron bucks, demos, kids’ art sale, kids’ activities, music, silent auction, & food vendors. Awards $1,300. Hours are Sat. 10-5 & Sun. 10-4. Art Spectacular is a fundraiser for our 67-bell Carillon, one of the largest & finest instruments in the world.

**PARTICIPATION POLICIES:** All fine art & fine craft will be accepted for jury. Only original work in design, concept & executed by the artist signing this agreement is allowed, and must be for sale. Artists may only occupy booth space assigned to them, one artist per booth (or 2 collaborating artists in the same business). No subletting or selling of space is permitted. *Artists exhibiting more than one medium in a tent must submit separate applications and fees.* Reproductions (including giclées) of an artist’s original work displayed on walls or panels must not comprise more than 40% of exhibited work; must be clearly & individually appropriately labeled, signed, numbered & part of a limited-edition series; and the original must be for sale. No more than 30 unnumbered, clearly labeled, matted “prints or reproductions” must be in browse bins. *Photography:* 75% must be signed and numbered in series of no more than 250, & preferably processed by the artist. *Artists* must be the designers & hands-on makers of original work. Only *artists accepted in the “jewelry” category may display or sell jewelry.* Beads must be made by the artist. *Prohibited:* agents, dealers, imports, works created from kits, velvet paintings, manufactured or kit jewelry, art supplies, decoupage, commercially manufactured parts or cast products, buy/sell items, molds, patterns, plans, stencils, embellished commercial products, pre-fabricated forms, mass-produced work, & consignment work from another artist. *Artists must display ‘family-friendly’ images.*

**BREAK DOWN:** Artists may not break down their booth until the fair ends at 4 pm on Sunday. All refuse must be properly disposed of each day. Do not leave behind any articles that were used in your display. You must leave a clean footprint.

**KIDS’ ART SALE:** Participating artists are required to donate original, kid-appropriate artwork for the Kids’ Art Sale, tagged with the artist’s name. No ‘seconds’. Items will be priced at $5-$15, providing kids 6-11 with the opportunity to select and own original art. In lieu of artwork, a $30 cash donation is required.

**BOOTH SPACE:** Marked, numbered, & measure 12’w x 15’deep with 3’ space between tents. Artists are responsible for required white tent, booth design, contents & weights. Your booth must be set 3’ back from the walk & must not interfere with your neighbor’s booth. Electricity is not provided & generators are forbidden.

**HOSPITALITY:** We cater to our artists! *Free* water and time-of-day-appropriate snacks are provided throughout the event. Booth sitters are available but may not sell. Restrooms are inside the Botanical Garden & also outside port-a-potties. A free Artists’ Award Dinner is on Saturday evening at 6 pm. Judging is based on originality, technical execution, overall quality and booth presentation.

**LUNCH:** Vendor menus & order forms will be included in your arrival packet. Volunteers may pick up your orders and money, and deliver your lunch each day.

**ZAPP APPLICATION** OR **E-MAIL APPLICATION:** [dandbwalker58@gmail.com](mailto:dandbwalker58@gmail.com)

**JPEG format required:** five (5) images, 4 indicative of your entire body work not more than 2 years old; a current, ‘blind’ image of your professional, eye-appealing booth display with visible walls; a written summary with titles, sizes & prices of images; & a clear explanation of your creative process. Include brief interesting/newsorthy information about you, your work, & your awards. Your name & images may be used in advertising. **Important:** All images must be without matting, frame, name, ID, or background, & ONE item per image. Submit pictures, written description, personal bio, this completed & this signed application.

Mail two checks payable to “Rees Carillon Society” with “art fair” notated on memo line to: Barb Walker, 4101 W. ILES Ave – Apt. 115, Springfield, IL 62711. Application will not be processed until 2 checks are received.

1. **$35 Application Fee** – non-refundable & deposited on receipt. If marked after April 15, add $50 late fee.

2. **Booth Fee – deposited when the artist has been selected to exhibit:** 12’x15’ $250; Corner/End $325; or Double $375. Includes City of Springfield Permit. If not selected by the jury, booth fee check will be shredded.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Due to small size of Art Spectacular, Refund Deadline is June 15, 2023 for 50% of booth fee. All fees are non-refundable effective June 16, 2023, unless authorized by an Executive Director.

**2022 Art Spectacular Award Winners** are invited to return in their awarded category without application fee for 2023; however, they must submit a completed application and booth fee by 4/15/2023.